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IT...IT'S .....!!

THAT FACE HIDDEN UNDER THAT MASK...

TH...THAT IS KIRITSU-RYUU DOKUSHUKEN, SAID TO BE THE ULTIMATE SECRET ART IN THE NUMEROUS CHINESE KENPOU.

IT'S... ABSOLUTELY .....!!

I...I'M CERTAIN!!

浮かぶ死の矢の巻

EIKEI, COM-
MANDER OF
OTOKOJUKU'S
SHITENNOU
---!!

浮かぶ死の矢の巻

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HE...HE'S ALIVE ---!!

THAT EIKEI, WH...WHO WE THOUGHT HAD DIED IN THE GANDHARA MATCH IN THE TENCHOU GORIN DAI-BUKAI PRELIMINARY LEAGUE FINALS----!!

DO...DON'T BE DISTANT TO US, EIKEI!! WHY YOU HIDING UNTIL NOW ----!

N...NOW, QUICKLY TAKE OFF THAT MASK AND SHOW YOUR FACE TO US ----!!

!?

HE-Y, WHAT'S WRONG EIKEI---!!

THAT WAS CLOSE, BUT I COULD TAKE OUT THE POISON WITH THAT.

GUKU !!

NUN!!

RIGHT, THEY SAID THE NAME IS EIKEI.

EIKEI ……!?

I NEVER THOUGHT THAT YOU ARE A USER OF DOKUSH-UKEN.

I WAS NEGLI-GENT.

WH..WHAT--!! HE'S SHOU-KAKU, NOT EIKEI--!

HUH!?

YOU'VE MADE SOME MISUNDER-STANDING.

I DON'T KNOW OF THAT NAME... MY NAME IS SHOUKAKU ...!!

BU... BUT .....

.....!!

THERE ISN'T JUST ONE PERSON WHO HAS MAS-TERED POISON-FIST IN THIS WORLD.

THIS WOULD INCLUDE THIS PERSON CALLED EIKEI...!!

DO YOU THINK WE WOULDN'T REMEM-BER AN ALLY THAT FOUGHT LIFE-OR-DEATH ALONGSIDE US UNTIL NOW!!

WHAT ARE YOU SAYING: YOU'RE EIKEI, WE HAVE NO DOUBT---!!

FIRST OF ALL, THAT BEST PROOF IS YOUR POISON-FIST ---!!

BUT IF THIS MAN ISN'T EIKEI, THEN WHAT SORT OF PERSON EXACTLY IS SHOU-KAKU...!?

I DON'T KNOW .....!!

MOMO, WHAT EXACTLY IS GOING ON HERE!!

HOW COULD HE COME TO HAVE NO INKLING OF ANYTHING TO US--!!

WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO ME IS YOU ARE A MASTER-HAND OF THE TERRIFYING DOKUSHUKEN, WHICH COULD KILL AN ENEMY WITH ONE SCRATCH.

FU: IT'S FINE WHOEVER YOUR TRUE IDENTITY IS.

IF IT'S COME TO THIS, I MUST USE THIS; THE ULTIMATE SECRET POSSESSED BY ME.....!!

.....!!

AS YOU SAID: THERE'S NO ONE COULD FACING THIS SECRET OF SECRETS.

IT WOULD HAVE BEEN GOOD IF YOU HAD USED THIS FROM THE START.

FUOHHO-HHO, HOUKETSU SEEMS TO FINALLY BECOME SERIOUS.

RYOUZAN-PAKU HIOUGI: HONKYOKU SHUUSEN!!

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TN: "HONKYOKU SHUUSEN" = "RUNNING-THORNS ATTACKING-HARPOONS"

NO MATTER HOW GOOD IS YOUR TAIJUTSU, YOU CAN'T RUN AWAY FROM HERE ON!!

.....!!

A BLACK HARPOON OF AN UNKNOWN NATURE HAS FLOWN OUT WITH TREMENDOUS FORCE FROM HOUKETSU'S CAPE AND IS RUNNING AROUND THE SKY----!!

WH...WHAT IS THAT ---!!

GO, 2ND ARRAY!!

MU!!

KU!!

3RD ARRAY !!

!!

HAU!!

TH...THAT BLACK HARPOON HAS SPLIT INTO SEVERAL WITH HOUKETSU'S SIGNAL AND ATTACKED---!!

WOO!! WH... WHAT'S GOING ON!

AND WHAT IS THAT SCRATCH TAKEN BY EIKE!...NO...THAT MASKED MAN---!! IT'S REDDENING AND SWELLING UP!

TH...THIS IS...!!

IT SEEMS I'VE SEEN THE TRUE FORM OF THOSE MONSTER HAR-POONS...

4TH ARRAY!!

!!

THIS IS IT'S TRUE IDEN-TITY!!

JUST AS I THOUGHT ...

NUUU: RI...RIGHT, THAT IS SOUHOU-GUNKEN!!

THOSE BEES HAVE ASSEMBLED AND IMITATED AN ARROW AND THEN COMMENCED TO ATTACK---!!

WH... WHAT---!! THAT'S A BEE---!!

SOUHOUGUNKEN... IT IS KNOWN OF BEES' UNIQUE COMMUNAL LIVING GENERALLY, BUT IN CHINESE KENPOU, THEY'VE WORKED OUT A MURDERING FIST THAT TRAINS AND USE KINKO BEES, WHICH ARE SAID WILL MAKE, EVEN A WILD COW DIE IF STABBED BY THREE OF THEM. DUE TO THIS, THEY WERE FEARED AS ASSASSINATION TOOLS. IN ANCIENT CHINA, POWERFUL PEOPLE OF THE TIME WERE PROHIBITED FROM RAISING BEES.

-FROM "FU'ABURU'S ACCOUNT OF INSECTS", MINMEI PUBLISHING

SOUHOU-GUNKEN

FU, RIGHT...BUT EVEN IF YOU SEE THROUGH ITS TRUE IDENTITY, IT WON'T HAVE ANY MEANING.

THIS IS YOUR END AT LAST.

BECAUSE THERE IS NO MEANS TO PROTECT YOUR BODY FROM POISONOUS BEES!!

GO---!!
ATACAK HIM
AND MAKE HIM
A BEEHIVE
----!

WH...WHAT---!!
THAT MASKED
MAN HAS JUMPED
INTO THE
RIVER-----!!

YOU'VE CHOSEN YOUR OWN DEATH OVER THE TERROR OF BEING STABBED TO DEATH BY BEES!!

YOU FOOL...!! IF YOU'VE THROWN YOURSELF INTO THE RAPIDS, THEN YOU'VE ALREADY ACCEPTED THAT YOU WON'T LIVE.....!!

!!

YOU WEREN'T MY MATCH FROM THE...!!

DO YOU THINK THIS WILL DECEIVE ME ----!!

I OVERLOOKED THIS: YOU USE THE BANDAGES WRAPPED AROUND YOUR POISON-FIST AS YOUR LIFELINE.

FU: A PERSON LIKE YOU WOULD...

EVEN IF YOU CAN EXTRACT THE POISON EARLIER, YOU CAN'T EXTRACT IT FROM YOUR BACK, HOUKETSU.

HUH!!

.....!!

HE...HE'S DONE IT---!! HE COUNTER PLOTTED WITH FLOATING IN THE RAPIDS AND HAVE COMPLETELY TAKEN HOUKETSU'S BACK---!

HE'S...A COMPLETELY AMAZING GUY; THAT MAN SHOUKAKU!! NOW HE'LL TAKE THE MATCH AT ONCE!

THERE ISN'T A WORD FOR DEFEAT FOR ME.

FUFU: WHO IS INTENDED ON SAYING THAT?

WELL... SO, IT'S BETTER THAT YOU DIE.

IF YOU ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR DEFEAT, I'LL SPARE YOUR LIFE.

I'LL GIVE YOU ONLY ONE CHANCE.

千匹の中の一匹！の巻

!!

NUGU!!

THERE'S NO MATCH FACING THIS HIOUGI OF HIOUGI---!!

WAHHAHAHA, HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN? I HAVE THIS SOUHOU-GUNKEN!!

千匹の中の一匹！の巻

CHP. 188: ONE IN A THOUSAND!

GO: SENKAI HOUJIN !!

TN: "SENKAI HOUJIN" = "ROTATING BEE-ARRAY"

MU!!

MY ANGER WILL BE REPENTED IN HELL ----!!

FUFFUFFU: STING, STING, STING HIM TO DEATH ----!!

A...AND YET, WHAT IS THIS--!! THE BEES HAVE STARTED TO ROTATE IN A SPIRAL AROUND SHOUKAKU...

D...DAMN!! HE ESCAPED HIS LONG-AWAITED CHANCE THANKS TO THOSE ANNOYING BEES---!

WITH THAT, SHOUKAKU CAN'T ESCAPE FROM WITHIN THAT RING---!!

THERE'S NO WAY YOU CAN PROTECT YOUR BODY FROM A SWARM OF A THOUSAND POISONOUS BEES
WHATEVER YOU DO, IT'S ALL A MATTER OF TIME.

IS...ISN'T THERE SOMETHING THAT CAN HAPPEN!! DOESN'T HE HAVE A SECRET PLAN, MOMO---!?

HOO!! WHAT'S THIS COME TO: THE SITUATION HAS COMPLETELY REVERSED---!

WH.... WHAT---!! WHAT IS THAT---!

SHOUKAKU HAS JUST ONE THING, IF HE CAN DO IT..!!

IT...IT WILL BE AS HE SAID: SHOUKAKU WILL EVENTUALLY GET TIRED AND BECOME PREY TO THE BEES----!!

HE'D BE SEARCHING FOR IT: THE ONE IN A THOUSAND .....!!

THIS SHOULD BE PERCEIVED BY SHOUKAKU TOO...!!

HUH...!! TH...THE ONE IN A THOUSAND .....!?

I'M CERTAIN THERE SHOULD BE SOMEWHERE ONE QUEEN BEE THAT COMMANDS THIS SWARM .....!!

IF I CAN DISCOVER JUST THE QUEEN BEE...!!

THESE THINGS MERELY SOLDIER BEES.

WHERE.....!? WHERE IS IT?

SHO... SHOU- KAKU ---!!

UH!!

NO MATTER IF YOU'RE A POISON-FIST USER, YOU WON'T LIVE WHEN STUNG BY YOUR THIRD.

FUFU; WITH THAT, YOU'RE STUNG FOR THE SECOND TIME.

KU!!

THIS IS YOUR END.

WELL, IT'S BEST TO PREPARE FOR YOUR DEATH.

N...NO...!! IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO SEE THROUGH TO JUST THE QUEEN BEE FROM WITHIN THESE NUMBERS.....!

IN THAT CASE, THIS IS THE ONLY MEANS I HAVE LEFT.."

!!

IT'S...SMOKE SCREEN: SHOU-KAKU IS BUILD-ING A SMOKE-SCREEN----!!

WH...WHAT IS THIS SMOKE ---!!

I'LL CONTINUE MY ATTACK WITHOUT REST---!!

YOU CAN'T PERPLEX ME WITH THAT THING---!!

FU: WHAT USE IS A SMOKE-SCREEN IN THIS SITUATION!?

SHE'LL BE THERE!!

IN THIS PANIC, I'M CERTAIN THE SOLDER BEE SHOULD BE BACK SO THEY CAN PROTECT THE QUEEN BEE!!

A QUEEN BEE IS AN ABSOLUTE BEING TO THE SOLDIER BEES !!

I'VE FOUND HER!!

FUFU: THE SMOKE-SCREEN IS CLEARING AWAY.

I...I DON'T KNOW AT ALL WHAT IS HAPPENING BECAUSE OF THE SMOKE-SCREEN!!

WH...WHAT EXACTLY IS WRONG DOWN THERE .....!?

GO----!!
ATTACK
HIM---!

WH...WHAT'S HAPPENING!? THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG WITH THE BEES ----!!

THOSE THINGS ARE FLYING AROUND LIKE...THEY'RE SEARCHING FOR SOMETHING ----!!

!!

IT SEEMS YOU'VE TAKEN DOWN THE QUEEN BEE WHO LEADS THE SWARM.

THAT'S QUITE AN IDEA.

FU, RIGHT...

WITH THE POISON CIRCULATING THROUGH YOUR BODY, I CAN FINISH YOU OFF EVEN WITHOUT USING THE BEES.

BUT WITH HOW IT'S COME NOW, EVEN THAT IS TOO LATE.

DIE---!! GO TO YOUR DEATH ---!

HA!!

TH...THIS IS DAN-GEROUS!!

HE AVOIDED THE FIRST BLOW, BUT SHOUKAKU DOESN'T HAVE LEFT THE POWER TO FIGHT ANY-MORE---!!

HUH .....!?

THE MATCH IS ALREADY DECIDED WITH THAT BLOW NOW.

WRONG .....!!

YOU SHOULD LOOK CLOSELY AT THE TIP OF YOUR SWORD.

THE END IS FOR YOU, HOUKET-SU.

HU-H !?

BUT THERE WON'T BE A NEXT TIME: NOW IS TRULY YOUR END.

FU: YOU'RE A TENA-CIOUS GUY.

WH...WHAT!! TH...THIS IS THE QUEEN BEE!!

HA!!

THEIR ANGER FOR KILLING THEIR MASTER IS TREMENDOUS.

DO YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT THAT MEANS?

YES; YOU'VE KILLED IT.

HI!!

HOO!!

THE SAD-NESS OF A BRUTE... BEES DON'T THINK AS SUCH.

HII, ST... STOP!!

N...NOT ME... I CAN'T BE KILLED---!!

GYA WAA !!

IT WOULDN'T HAVE COME TO THIS IF YOU HAD ACKNOWL-EDGED DEFEAT THEN.

THERE WON'T BE A SECOND CHANCE FOR YOU.

YOUR DESTINY WAS SELF-DESTRUC-TION AFTER ALL.

PAGE: JIMETSU (SELF-DESTRUCTION)

H...HE'S DONE IT.....!! SHO...SHOU KAKU WON.....!

HE'S...AN AMAZING GUY. HE...HE USED HIS OPPONENT'S TECHNIQUE TO DEFEAT HIM.....!!

WI...WITH THIS, WE FINALLY CAN FIND OUT HIS TRUE IDENTITY ~~~~~!!

L...LOOK: HE'S COMING UP TO HERE.

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影が語るもの!!
CHP. 189: THE MAN WHO TALKS TO SHADOWS!!
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FUFU, WHAT AN FINE WEL-COME

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WELL, ENOUGH WITH THAT MASK AL-READY.

YOU'RE EIKEI-SENPAI, COMMANDER OF THE OTO-KOJUKU SHITENNOU...!

WE KNOW.

I'M A PRO HELPER HIRED WITH MONEY FROM THE PRINCIPAL OF OTOKOJUKU, EDAJIMA HEIHACHI!!

MY NAME IS SHOU-KAKU.

FU: I GOING TO SAY THE SAME THING MANY TIMES.

A...PRO HELPER H...HIRED WITH MONEY .....!?

.....

I DON'T KNOW WHAT THE CIR-CUM-STANCES ARE, BUT YOU ARE LYING.

YOU'RE LYING.

I SHALL BE GOING.

MY JOB IS DONE HERE.

THIS STRUGGLE TO THE DEATH IS A THING THAT WOULD NEVER OCCUR FOR MONEY!!

THIS WAS PROVEN BY YOUR BATTLE!

THAT IS THE MOMENT THEY PROTECT THE MOST IMPORTANT THING TO THEMSELVES!!

A MAN DOESN'T BET THEIR LIFE FOR MONEY!! THERE'S JUST ONE MOMENT A MAN BETS THEIR LIFE...!!

I'M MERELY DEVOTED TO MY BUSINESS.....!! THAT'S ALL.

FUFU; I'M A PRO.

I...GUESS WE'RE WRONG AFTER ALL.....!!

HE... HE'S GOING .....!!

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HOLD ON.

HA!!

YOU'RE UNCONSCIOUSLY AVOIDING MY SHADOW TO NOT STEPPING ON IT, EIKEI.

DO YOU THINK YOU CAN DECEIVE MY EYES!!

I AM DAIGOJIN JAKI, HEAD OF OTOKOJUKU THIRD-YEARS!!

FU: WE...WELL, WHAT EXACTLY DOES THAT MEAN?

NOT STEPPING ON A SHADOW IS JUST A COINCIDENCE .....!!

EVEN IF OUR BODIES ARE SEPARATED, OUR SOULS WILL ALWAYS BE ONE UNDER THE FLAG OF OTOKO JUKU!!

YOU CAN GO...BUT DON'T FORGET!!

I HAVEN'T HEARD OF WHAT ALIAS YOU'VE TAKEN FROM OLD-MAN EDAJIMA AND WHY YOU'VE HIDDEN YOUR TRUE IDENTITY...!!

WELL FINE...

HE CAN'T SHARING THE JOY OF RE-UNION WITH ALLIES WITH-OUT REVEAL-ING HIS TRUE IDENTITY

HE'S TREAT-ING US BADLY.

Y...YOU BRATS OF OTOKO-JUKU.
WH...WHAT CAN I SAY... EVEN THAT HOUKETSU HAS.....!!

FUFU; YOU'VE GROWN SENILE, OLD-MAN. WHAT ARE YOU GETTING INTO THIS PANIC FOR?

WHAT'S THAT!!

WE BETTER HAVE SOME EXCUSE TO THE MASTER WHEN THEY ARRIVE FROM BEHIND OF THIS SITUATION----!!

HUH! IT'S...NOT GOOD, THIS IS ABSOLUTELY NOT GOOD---!!

BUT WE'VE OVERCOME FROM THEM... WITH THE POWER OF "THAT MAN" .....!!

THE BATTLE HISTORY OF OUR RYOUZANPAKU, WHICH HAS WIN THIS TENCHOU GORIN DAIBUKAI THREE CONSECUTIVE TIMES IN THE PAST, HAS OFTEN FACED THIS KIND OF SITUATION.

HUH!!

IT SEEMS YOU WERE MISTAKEN ON THAT.

BUT, THAT PERSON IS TOGETHER WITH THE MASTER .....!!

YES! I KNOW IT!

TH... THAT MAN .....!?

OOH!!

THAT'S RYOUZANPAKU'S VICE-HEAD: GENERAL SOUKOU-SAMA---!!

DURING THAT TIME, I WILL STRIKE AN END TO THIS BATTLE.....!!

YOU SHOULD BE RELIEVED: THERE IS STILL TIME UNTIL THE MASTER AR-RIVES.

FUFU: THERE SHOULD COME A TIME WHERE WE KNOW EVERY-THING...!!

LOOK: IT SEEMS THAT'S OUR NEW OPPONENT.

WH... WHAT!!

HO...HOWEVER, THAT MAN CALLED SHOU-KAKU AP-PEARED AND LEFT LIKE THE WIND.

YEP, HE'S AS IF HE'S A GEKKOU KAMEN-LIKE GUY.

THAT'S AN OLDIE WITH EX-TREMELY GREATLY APPEAR-ANCE.

AND BEHIND HIM IS...!?

STRANGELY-SHAPED ROLLING BALLS ARE GOING DOWN THE ROPE-LADDER AND GOING TOWARDS THE BATTLEGROUND ——!!

WHAT ARE... THOSE!!

(TN. "ICHIJIN SENRIKU HE HOU" = "VANGUARD THOUSAND-KILL ARMY METHOD")

(TN: ACCORDING TO LEGEND, "SHOUKI" IS A DEMON SLAYER GOD WHO PROTECTS AGAINST DEMONS AND IS IN PARTICULAR THE PROTECTOR OF MALE HEIRS TO THE THRONE OF CHINA)

THE MANY THINGS OF RYOUZAN PAKU'S ICHIJIN SENRIKU HEIHOU .....!!

LET ME SHOW YOU...

IN FRONT OF YOU, EVEN SHOUKI (A FIERCE GOD GREATER THAN CHINESE LEGEND) CRIES AND BEG FOR HIS LIFE.

OOH! IT'S THE GUARDIAN GOD OF THE RYOUZANPAKU TROOPS; IT'S STRONGEST SOLDIER, GENERAL SOUKOU...!!

WH...WHAT!! THERE ARE PEOPLE WITHIN THOSE STRANGE IRON BALLS!

AAH ---!?

DON'T YOU UNDER-STAND YET? LOOK CLOSER.

WH...WHAT EXACTLY IS GOING ON: THOSE ROLL-ING BALLS ARE SETTING UP ON THE BATTLE-GROUND...!!

I WILL SHOW YOU HELL TO ALL OF YOU IN A TRUE BATTLE.

I DON'T CARE ABOUT YOUR NUMBERS!! ALL OF YOU CAN COME AT ME....!

INFORMING THE DARE DEVILS OF OTOKOJUKU!!

!?

FINALLY, AN APPROPRIATE OPPONENT HAS APPEARED FOR ME

UMU.

HE'S NOT JUST BLUFFING.

INTEREST-ING: WHY DON'T YOU SHOW ME THIS HELL .....!!

AKASHI!! HEAD OF THE OTOKOJUKU SECOND-YEARS, AKASHI GOUJI ----!

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MOMO ....!!

WHAT IS IT!?

KAKKAKKA! YOU'RE A DUMMY, TORAMARU!!

BE CAREFUL, IKUSHI-SENPAI!! WE DON'T KNOW THE ABILITY OF THOSE STRANGE BALLS OR THAT WEIRD-BEARDED OLDIE!!

YOU'RE TEN YEARS EARLY TO GIVING ADVICE TO IKUSHI-SENPAI, THE HEAD OF OTOKOJUKU'S SECOND-YEARS THAT IS SAID TO EVEN SILENCE A CRYING CHILD!

WHA, MO_ MOMO'S KATANA ----.

OSSU ---!

CAN I BORROW YOUR KATANA?

IT...CAN'T BE: IS HE GOING TO NITOU-RYUU, IMITAT-ING MIYA-MOTO MUSASHI!?

WHAT EXACTLY IS AKASHI DOING...!?

TN: "NITOURYUU" = "TWO-SWORD STYLE"

YES, HE'S ALWAYS OVER-WHELMING TO US.

FUFU; HE'S A GREAT MAN WITH IMMEASUR-ABLE SCALE.

THAT'S MY STYLE.
DON'T WORRY,

IT SEEMS YOU IGNORE MY ADVICE.
I ALREADY SAID THAT ALL OF YOU TO COME AT ME, BUT MERELY ONE HAS COME .....!!

FUFU: THAT'S NATURAL .....!!

DOES A YOUNGSTER OPPONENT LIKE YOU THINK HE CAN TAKE ON GENERAL SOUKOU, THE VICE-HEAD OF RYOUZAN-PAKU?

YOU WILL REALIZE: OUR TERROR FOR BEING UNDER THE DIRECT CONTROL OF GENERAL SOUKOU!!

BUT BEFORE I FIGHT WITH YOU, I MUST DEAL WITH THESE.

THIS PREY WILL BE TAKEN BY YOU.

GO!!

CTN: FIRST OF ALL: "HEIHOU" = "ART OF WAR" OR "TACTIC", SECOND: "REKIBYOUKYUU" = "RUNNING-OVER TACK-SPHERES"

RYOUZANPAKU HEIHOU OUGI: REKIBYOU KYUU!!

OOH!! L...LOOK! THOSE THREE IRON BALLS ARE THRUSTING WITH TREMENDOUS ROTATION AIMING FOR AKASHI!!

NU!!

THE TRUE TERROR OF REKIBYOUKYUU IS REFLECTIONS ORIGINATING BY PERFECT CALCULATIONS, MAKING YOU UNABLE TO FIGURE OUT FROM WHERE WE'RE ATTACKING---!!

UWAHHAHAHA: IT SEEMS YOU'RE WATCHING OUR MOVEMENT!! DO YOU THINK WE CAN ONLY ATTACK IN A STRAIGHT LINE---!

IT'S A TERIFYING TECHNIQUE ……!!

NUUU: THAT'S REKIBYOU KYUU ……!!

IT'S AS IF THEY'RE BEING KNOCKED AROUND AND ATTACKING LIKE BILLIARD BALLS----!!

WHAT IS THIS, THESE MOVEMENTS BY THE IRON-BALL MEN---!!

REKIBYOUKYUU...A MANEUVERING TACTIC SAID TO HAVE BEEN DEVISED BY GENERAL HANKOU, WHO WAS FAMOUS, IN HIS SURROUNDINGS, AS THE PRE-EMINENT GREAT COMMANDER OF THE WAR ERA IN ANCIENT CHINA. IT IS KNOWN TO EXHIBIT ITS POWER AND MAKING A DECISIVE BATTLE, IN PARTICULAR FOR SITUATIONS OF A LARGE GROUP OF ENEMIES. IN THE BATTLE OF KOUGEN, GENERAL HANKOU ENSNARED INTO GREAT CHAOS A THOUSAND ENEMY WU TROOPS WITH MERELY THREE REKIBYOUKYUU LEAD BY HE HIMSELF. A DIGRESSION IN PASSING: DUE TO THE OPTIMIZATION OF THESE REKIBYOUKYUU BY IMPROVING THEIR SENSE OF EQUILIBRIUM, THEY WERE USED AS AN AVIATION TRAINING METHOD BY THE AIR FORCES IN EVERY COUNTRY OF THE WORLD DURING WORLD WAR II. -FROM "WORLD ANCIENT WEAPON ENCYCLOPEDIA" MINMEI PUBLISHING

(TN: THERE WAS NO REAL "BATTLE OF KOUGEN" THAT WE KNOW OF, BUT THE "WU TROOPS" REFERRED TO HERE ACTUALLY DID EXIST. THEY WERE IN REFERENCE TO THE EASTERN WU NATION, WHO WAS ONE OF THE THREE ALLIED FORCES OF THE THREE KINGDOMS DURING CHINA'S WARRING PERIOD)

WHAT'S WRONG, WHY AREN'T YOU ATTACK!! ARE THOSE TWO SWORDS FOR DECORATION——!

IT'S OVER NOW!

KUHAHAHA! YOU'VE BEEN CORNERED, THERE'S NOTHING BEHIND YOU.

DIE!!

GUWA!!

FU: THAT WAS EASY...

WE SETTLED WITH HIM SIMPLY LIKE THAT.

HIO

!!

AKASHI WAS PUSHED INTO THE RAPIDS ——!!

HUH!? WH...WHAT'S YOU SAY, MOMO---!!

FU, IT'S OKAY .....!!

HE'LL BE THROWN HEADLONG INTO THE WATERFALL IF HE'S SWALLOWED BY THE RAPIDS ---!!

WOO!! IT'S IMPOSSIBLE, AKASHI-SENPAI WAS KILLED SIMPLY LIKE THAT---!

WH... WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THAT!?

.....!!

HE'S A PERSON BEYOND OUR IMAGINA-TION; THAT MAN.....!!

HAA!!

UWAHHAHA! I GUESS THEY CAN'T DO IT WITH THEIR LEGS CRAMPED WITH BEING SHOWN OUR OVER-WHELMING STRENGTH ----!!

WELL, OTOKOJUKU'S NEXT DARE-DEVIL, YOU SHOULD COME DOWN HERE!!

HEY, TH... THAT'S!!

AAAH !!

WHOSE OVER-WHELMING STRENGTH?

MU!!

HOW, HE'S STILL ALIVE?

YES, I STABBED THIS SWORD INTO THE RIVER BED AND PROTECTED MYSELF FROM THE RAPIDS.

AKASHI ---!!

THE FATE OF THOSE THREE HAS ALREADY BEEN DECIDED .....!!

!?

IF MY GUESS IS CORRECT .....!!

IF YOU DARE, THEN YOU SHOULD COME AT ME.

IF YOU TAKE EVEN A STEP OVER THIS LINE, ALL OF YOU WILL COME TO DIE.

THIS LINE IS THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN THIS WORLD AND HELL .....!!

N----!? WHAT'S THAT FOR? YOU DREW A LINE IN THE GROUND.

KUKU; WHAT'S WITH THAT JOKE!!

NOW WE WILL CERTAINLY SEND YOU TO HELL---!!

MUHAHAHAHA, WE SURPASSED THE LINE AS YOU SAID! SO WHAT EXACTLY IS WRONG WITH THAT!!

ICHI MONJI-RYUU: ZAN-GANKEN...

TH...THIS IS AN...EARTH QUAKE!! TH...THE GROUND IS SHAKING.....!

HUH!?

HO!!

(TN REMINDERS
1 "ICHIMONJI-RYUU" = "STRAIGHT-LINE STYLE"
2 "ZANGANKEN" = "STONE-CUTTING

GYAOOH!!

THIS IS WHAT ITS MEANS!!

IT...CAN'T BE: YOU CUT THE PILLARS SUPPORTING THE BATTLE-GROUND IN THE RIVER ——!!

NUUUU!! WE CAN'T STOP; WE'RE TUMBLING IN!

WOO!! WHAT'S THAT; THE BATTLE-GROUND IS SLANTING!

THERE IS NOTHING IT CAN'T CUT IN THIS WORLD!!

斬岩剣通用せず!?の巻

I...DON'T BELIEVE THIS...!! HE...CUT THE PILLARS IN THE RIVER, SLANTING THE BATTLE-GROUND AND THOSE IRON-BALL GUYS TUMBLED IN TO THEIR END...!
UOO, WH...WHAT EXACTLY IS THIS .....!?

斬岩剣通用せず!?の巻

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WITH THAT, I CAN GO INTO MY MATCH WITH YOU AT EASE, GENERAL_!!

IN THAT CASE, SOUKOU MUST LOWER HIS HAND DOWN HIMSELF.

ICHIMONJI-RYUU ZANGAN-KEN, SAID TO BE LEGEND-ARY...! AND IT'S MASTERED BY A YOUNGSTER LIKE YOU.

DON'T WORRY.

WE CAN'T USE OUR FULL POWER WITH A FOOTHOLD THAT'S SLANTED LIKE THIS. BUT THEN, I DON'T MIND THIS AT ALL.

BUT WHAT DO YOU INTEND FOR THIS BATTLE-FIELD!?

!?

NU!!

!!

WH...WHAT!!
THE BATTLE-
GROUND
IS...!

I'M COMPLETELY DUMBFOUNDED BY HIM.

RIGHT, AKASHI-SENPAI DIDN'T JUST TAKE ONE PILLAR, HE CUT THE OTHER PILLARS AS WELL....!!

AKASHI RETURNED THE BATTLEGROUND TO WATER LEVEL AS IT WAS BEFORE BY JUST THROWING A PEBBLE----!!

WHAT EXACTLY HAPPENED THERE ----!!

BUT YOU'RE YOUNG..... YOU STILL DON'T UNDERSTAND THE THING CALLED TACTICS.

THIS IS THE FIRST I'VE HAD TO FACE A MAN LIKE YOU EVEN IN MY LONG EXPERIENCES IN COMBAT.

YOU'RE A DREADFUL MAN.

NOW, TAKE OUT YOUR PRIDED LONG-SWORD!!

YOU WILL UNDER-STAND IT LATER.

THERE IS NOTHING I CAN'T CUT IN THIS WORLD .....!!

IT'S FUTILE NOW TO WEAR YOUR ARMOR AND HELMET.

ICHIMONJI-RYUU: ZAN-GANKEN!!

KEE

MU!

HHHH!!

WHAT IS THIS!!

!!

THAT BLACK SAND-LIKE THING SCATTERED BY GENERAL SOUKOU HAS STUCK TO ITS ENTIRE SURFACE, MAKING IT PITCH-BLACK---!!

WHAT'S GOING ON: AKASHI'S SWORD HAS---!?

THIS IS RYOU ZANPAKU OUGI: KYOUJI DAIHATSUKAI!!

I'VE TRAPPED YOU.

IN: "KYOUJI DAIHATSUKAI" = "MAGNETIC-EXCELLENCE BIG-REJECTION WORLD"

.....!!

THIS IS MAGNETIC POWDER .....!!

EVEN WITH THIS DISRUPTING TRICK, MY SWORD POSSESSES THE POWER TO SMASH YOUR BONES!!

SO, YOU'RE DULLING THE SHARPNESS OF MY SWORD WITH THIS. BUT THIS IS NAÏVE.

THIS ISN'T A THING THAT CAN BE WIPED OFF SO EASILY.

YES, BUT THIS ISN'T ORDINARY MAGNETIC POWDER: THIS IS TAIKYOKUJI STONE, WHICH ONLY YIELDED ON THE LAND OF OUR RYOUZANPAKU AND POSSESSES THE MOST POWERFUL MAGNETISM IN THIS WORLD!!

.....!!

NOW!!

YOU SHOULD TRY IT: I WON'T MAKE A MOVE.

FU, IS THIS REALLY WHAT IT IS?

NUUU
!!
!!

GUWA !!

FUFU, WHAT'S WRONG!! YOUR SWORD CAN'T EVEN TOUCH ME.

KOSHI WAS REJECTED THE MOMENT HE SWUNG THE SWORD DOWN-WARD!!

WHAT ---!!

IT'S LIKE THERE'S AN INVISIBLE BARRIER SURROUND-ING HIM...!!

WHAT HAPPEN .....!!

NUUA

!!

GUFU !!

OTHER THAN THE TAIKYOKUJI STONE POWDER STUCK TO YOUR SWORD, THERE WAS ALSO TAI-KYOKUJI STONE ON MY ARMOR AND HELMET THAT I AM WEARING.

UNDERSTAND? IT CAN'T BE SEEN BY THE EYE, BUT THERE IS A POWERFUL MAGNETIC FIELD SUR-ROUNDING MY CIRCUMFER-ENCE.

NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES YOU DO IT, IT'S FUTILE.

LET ME TEACH YOU: THE TRUE MEANING OF THIS HIOUGI: KYOUJI DAIHATSU-KAI...!!

AND THUS, YOUR SWORD AND MY HELMET AND ARMOR ARE TINGED WITH MAGNETISM OF THE SAME POLE!!

!!

YOUR SWORD POWER INDEED IS TREMENDOUS, BUT FROM THE REPELLENT FORCE OF TWO POWERFUL MAGNETIC FORCES, YOU WILL REPEL AWAY WITHOUT BEING ABLE TO LAY EVEN A SCRATCH ON MY BODY.

DO YOU UNDER-STAND NOW?

WITH THIS, AKASHI-SENPAI WON'T BE ABLE TO USE HIS SWORD .....!!

WH... WHAT .....!!

THAT'S KYOUJI DAIHATSU-KAI.....!!

NUU!! DREAD FUL...

YOU ARE AN IDIOT, TORAMARU---!! THIS IS A PROBLEM OF GRADE-SCHOOL SCIENCE---!

I DON'T GET IT. WH..WHAT EXACTLY IS THAT GUY SAYING .....!?

KYOUJI DAIHATSUKAI...REIMEI-RYUU'S CHIN HOUKO, SAID TO BE THE ANCESTOR WHO REJUVENATED CHINESE KENPOU, HAD PRODUCED TAIKYOKUJI STONES,' WHICH IS SAID TO BE 55,000 GAUSS FOR AROUND 1 CUBIC CM IN MT. GYOKUSEN WHILE SIMULTANEOUSLY TREASURING WHAT HE WAS ENLIGHTENED, TO WHILE NEVER TAKING IT OFF IT'S PREMISES WHEN HE SECLUDED HIMSELF ON MT. GYOKUZEN FOR PURSUING HIS OWN SECRET FISTS AND PERFECTED IT FROM COMBINING IT WITH HIS KENPOU. IN BRIEF: MAGNETS HAVE A S POLE AND N POLE; THERE IS A STRONG ATTRACTING POWER PRODUCED IN THE INTERVAL OF OPPOSITE POLES, BUT A STRONG REPULSION POWER PRODUCED IN THE INTERVAL OF SIMILAR POLES. THAT IS,' IF YOU STICK TAIKYOKUJI STONE POWDER TO THE WEAPON OF AN ENEMY AND WEAR PROTECTIVE GUARDS THAT POSSESS TAIKYOKUJI STONE OF THE SAME POLE,' YOU CAN COME TO HAVE 'AN INVINCIBLE DEFENSIVE CURTAIN (BODY BARRIER).' EVEN IN THE PRESENT, THE APPLICATION SCOPE OF MAGNETISM (MAGNET POWER) CALLED "THE FOURTH ENERGY" HAVE CROSSED MANY DIVERGENCES IN MILITARY AFFAIRS, TRANSPORTATION, POWER GENERATION AND SPACE DEVELOPMENT. -FROM "THE GREAT MAGNETIC FIELD",' MINMEI PUBLISHING

SOUTH POLE

SOUTH POLE

AND THUS, WHAT'S LEFT FROM HERE IS MERELY TO FINISH YOU OFF!!

THESE ARE MY TACTICS, WHICH I PRIDE AS INVINCIBLE AND UNDEFEATABLE.

THIS IS A COMPLETE VICTORY WITH THE PERFECT DEFENSE.

TAKE THIS!! RYOUZANPAKU OUGI: REN-SASHI!

TN: "RENSASHI" = "LOTUS-CHAIN GIFT"

MU!!

NO MATTER WHAT YOU DO, YOU CAN'T ESCAPE FROM THIS KOUSHI NET!!

NUGH!!

TN: "KOUSHI NET" OR "KOUSHUMOU" = STEEL-THREAD NET

!!

FUFU: IF YOU WORDS TO LEAVE TO YOUR ALLIES, YOU SHOULD SAY THEM!!

YOU'RE A DIS-SAPOINT-ING MAN, BUT THAT'S THE MATCH!!

GUKU !!

AKASHI !!

Y...YOU'RE A FAST MAN .....!!

BU...BUT, THIS BLOOD HAS BECOME HIGHLY IGNITED .....!!

SOMEHOW YOU AVOIDED THE BLOW FROM YOUR VITALS, BUT IT SHOULD BE QUITE A SEVERE WOUND.

NO MATTER HOW YOU SPEAK OF YOUR COURAGE, IT'S USELESS.

FU: HIGHLY IGNITING YOUR BLOOD ----!!

THIS WILL END IT ----!!

GUKU!!

万分の一の奇跡!!の巻

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WUAHAHAHA- DO YOU THINK YOU CAN AVOID THIS IN THAT STATE----!!

KUH!!

GAHA!!

NUU!!

AKASHI ---!!

THAT BLOW NOW I'M CERTAIN PIERCED YOUR INTERNAL ORGANS.

FUFUFU; EVEN IF YOU POSSESS ABNORMAL PHYSICAL STRENGTH, THIS WILL END NOW.

GUFU!!

TH...THAT AKASHI-SENPAI WILL BE KILLED ---!

HOO, A..AKASHI ---!!

.....!!

THERE IS NOTHING MORE THAT CAN BE DONE!!

THERE'S NO WAY HE CAN ESCAPE FROM THE KOUSHI NET WITH THE WOUNDS INCREASING AND HIS ZANGANKEN SEALED.

N...NO .....!!

NOTHING MORE THAT CAN BE DONE .....!?

THOSE WORDS DON'T EXIST TO HIM!!

RASETSU ---!!

HUH !?

HE SUDDENLY HAS AN OLD RAG DYED IN OLD BLOOD AND IS HOLDING IT OVER HIS HEAD TOWARDS THE BATTLEFIELD ---!!

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN? WH...WHAT EXACTLY IS THAT RASETSU ---!!

I GUESS YOUR CONSCIOUS IS ALREADY DIMMING WITH THAT BLEEDING. IF NOT, YOU CAN TELL ME WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THAT.

N---!?

WHAT IS THIS---!?

.....!!

WHAT EXACTLY DOES THAT MEAN .....!!

IT SAVED 123 LIVES .....!?

THIS SAVED 123 OTOKO-JUKU LIVES, INCLUDING MY OWN .....!!

LET ME TELL YOU: THE ORIGIN OF THIS BLOOD-STAINED CLOTH!!

I HAD ACCEPTED AN ORDER OF JAKI-SAMA AND DECIDED TO MAKE A SHOWDOWN WITH AN OLD ENEMY IN THE NORTHERN COUNTRIES, LEADING ALL 123 MEMBERS OF OTOKOJUKU'S SECOND AND THIRD-YEARS

THIS WAS BEFORE ALL OF YOU ENTERED OTOKOJUKU AS FIRST-YEARS

IN THE MIDST OF A TERRIBLE SNOWSTORM, THE TRUCKS MARCHED FORTH ON A DIRECT ROUTE IN THE CENTER OF THE MOUNTAINS

AT THE TIME, HE WAS GOING FORTH AS A LONE SCOUT. THREE KILOMETERS AHEAD OF US.

!!

AND THEN

OUR FIELD OF VISION WAS MOSTLY INEFFECTIVE;

IF WE HAD PROGRESSED ON THAT DIRECT ROUTE WITHOUT KNOWING THIS, WE WOULD HAVE FALLEN INTO THE DEPTHS OF HELL AND ALL OF US, INEVITABLY, WOULD HAVE DIED...

THE ENEMY, WHO HAD SENSED OUR MOBILIZATION, BLEW UP THE BRIDGE ON THE DIRECT ROUTE.

IT WAS THERE THAT HE.....

BUT EVEN IF HE TRY TO WARN US, HIS VOICE WOULD HAVE BEEN ERASED IN THE RAGING FURIOUS SNOWSTORM AND THERE WAS NOTHING HE COULD MAKE A SIGN WITH THE SNOW COVERED ENTIRE SURFACE OF THE AREA.

WHAT IS...THAT ---!!

I CAN SEE SOMETHING IN FRONT OF US!!

MU!!

STOP ---!!

THE TRUCK STOPPED SEVERAL METERS FROM THE PRECIPITOUS CLIFF.

THE THING THAT WE SAW THERE WAS.....

THE FIGURE OF A PERSON WHO HAD SLIT HIS OWN CHEST, PUT UP HIGH A SHIRT THAT HAD BEEN DYED DEEP RED AND IN A NIOU-STANCE!!

TN: "NIOU-STANCE" WAS EXPLAINED PRIOR AS A STANCE AKIN TO A "GUARDIAN NIOU STATUE AT CERTAIN BUDDHIST TEMPLES

HE'S A MAN WHO BET HIS OWN LIFE IN A ONE-IN-TEN THOUSAND MIRACLE AND MADE THE IM-POSSIBLE POSSIBLE...!!

THAT IS THE MAN AKASHI GOUJI, HEAD OF OTOKOJUKU'S SECOND-YEARS!!

HE WASN'T CONSCIOUS DUE TO ALREADY HAVING FROSTBITE AND THE BLEEDING.

BUT HE WAS STILL WAVING IT: THE BLOOD-STAINED FLAG THAT SAVED 123 LIVES...!!

JUST LIKE THAT SNOWY DAY, HE'LL ENDURE UNTIL HE'S AT THE LIMIT OF LIFE-OR-DEATH AND BET FOR A ONE-IN-TEN THOUSAND VIC-TORY...!!

HE CAN DO IT...!

BUT, WHAT CAN HE DO FROM THIS SITUA-TION...!!

WE DON'T KNOWN OF THAT STORY; HE'S... COM-PLETELY AN AMAZING PERSON...!!

WHAT AN A...AMAZING STORY...!!

ETER-
NALLY!!

BUT YOU SHOULD BE ANXIOUS; NOW I WILL LIBERATE YOU FROM THIS AGONY.

FUFUFU: THAT'S LOOK PAINFUL.

DIE
!!

!!

HA!!

HOO...YOU STILL HAVE POWER REMAINING SOMEWHERE IN THAT BODY"

HE DID IT ---!!

HE CUT THE NET WITH MOMO'S SWORD AND SUCCESSFULLY ESCAPED-

IS THAT SO...!!

BUT IT'S MEAN-INGLESS, YOU STILL CAN'T ATTACK ME WITH THIS PERFECT DEFENSE OF THE UNSEEN KYOUJI DAIHAT-SUKAI.

FUFU: YOU'RE A TENA-CIOUS MAN.

WAHHAHA! WHAT'S WITH THAT !!

IF THAT'S THE SWORD THAT ISN'T COVERED BY MAGNETIC POWDER, THEN IS HASN'T TAKEN THE INFLUENCE OF THE MAGNETIC FIELD, BUT WHERE WAS IT AIMING!?

!?

RIGHT!! WITH THAT SWORD, I CAN BREAK THROUGH YOUR MAGNETIC FIELD!

WH...WHAT---!!
HE CONNECTED THE SWORD AND WENT TROUGH THE MAG-NETIC FIELD---!

GYAHI!!

GUWA!!

筆頭の重さ!!の巻

WHAT'S THAT ——!!
NO...!! THAT BLOW NOW DIDN'T HIT HIS VITAL ....!

HE JOINED MOMO'S SWORD AND HIS OWN SWORD AND BROKE THROUGH THE MAGNETIC FIELD SURROUNDING THAT SOUKOU, SPLITTING APART THAT TOMATO——!!
HE...HE DID IT——!! AMAZING, AS EXPECTED AKASHI-SENPAI——!

FUFFUFFU, DISAP-POINTING ……!!

YOUR FATE IS DECIDED WITH THIS...!! YOU WERE NO MATCH AFTER ALL FOR ME, WHO PRIDES HIS LEGEND OF NEVER LOSE!

YOUR SWORD, WHICH IS YOUR LAST BET, MERELY JUST CUT MY SKIN.....!!

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D...DAMN, WHAT IS THIS! I THOUGHT IT WAS COMPLETELY DECIDED AND YET !! ....

AKASHI-SENPAI DOESN'T HAVE ENOUGH POWER TO TAKE EVEN A STEP NOW DUE TO THE WEAKENING OF HIS BODY----!!

AT THAT MOMENT, SOUKOU COMPLETELY SAW AKASHI'S SWORD AND AT ONCE STEPPED BACK JUST A LITTLE BIT.

IT ISN'T JUST HE CAN'T TAKE A STEP.

THERE HASN'T EVER BEEN SUCH A DREADFUL ENEMY LIKE GENERAL SOUKOU .....!!

THE DEFENSE OF KYOUJI DAIHATSUKAI DOESN'T HAVE A WEAKNESS AFTER ALL...!!

FUFU, YOUR STRENGTH AND WILLPOWER SHOULD BE AT ITS LIMIT.....!! I CAN DEFEAT YOU EVEN WITH MY BARE HANDS.

BUT I WILL SHOW RESPECT FOR YOUR FIGHTING SPIRIT AND FINISH IT BY STABBING YOU WITH THIS KONGOU SPEAR!!

GU!!

MUHAHAHAHA! YOU'LL OPEN YOUR WOUNDS IF YOU MOVE, BECOMING INCREASINGLY A DISADVANTAGE FOR YOU!!

NUA!!

HA!!

NUU!!

MUN!!

NUGU !!

NO MATTER HOW MANY COUNTER-ATTACKS YOU THROW, YOUR ZANGANKEN CAN'T GET THROUGH THIS KYOUJI DAIHAT-SUKAI-----!!

FUFU, HAVE YOU FOR-GOTTEN!!

GUWA!!

!!

AKASHI
---!!

GUKU
!!

YOU'RE TOO GOOD A MAN TO BE KILLED LIKE THIS.

YOU'RE CALLED AKASHI GOUJI?

WITH THAT, YOU UNABLE TO RUN !!

I'VE SEVERED THE SUI-CHOU MUSCLE IN YOUR KNEE ...!!

TN: "SUICHOU MUSCLE" OR "SUICHOUKIN" = "HANGING BULGE MUSCLE", I ACTUALLY THOUGHT THIS EXISTED...BUT IT'S AN OTOKOJUKU TERM...

IF YOU MANLY ADMIT YOUR DEFEAT, I WILL SPARE YOUR LIFE.

I'LL GIVE A FINAL CHANCE TO YOU.

THERE'S NO SHAME IN THAT. SO, WHAT WILL YOU DO!?

YOU'VE FOUGHT THIS LONG WITH SOUKOU AS YOUR OP-PONENT.

BUT TH...THIS ZANGANKEN C...CERTAINLY WI...WILL MURDER YOU .....!!

IN TRUTH, I ACKNOWL-EDGE YOUR STRENGTH.

I'M NOT LEAVING HERE HALF-ASLEEP, BALD-HEADED OLDIE.

FOOL .....!!

YOU SHOULD REGRET IN HELL TO HOLD YOUR DIGNITY WITH TRIFILING WILLPOWER.

IT'S... USE-LESS...!! THOSE WORDS CAN'T BE HEARD ANYMORE .....!

YOU DO HAVE YOUR LIFE ----!!

DO AS SOUKOU SAID----!

ST...STOP THAT---!! AKASHI, YOU CAN'T FIGHT WITH THAT BODY ANYMORE---!!

THAT MAN IS THE MAN WHO CAN CAUSE A ONE-IN-TEN THOU-SAND MIRACLE AND MAKE THE IMPOSSIBLE POSSIBLE...!!

I BELIEVE IN HIM .....!!

HUH ~~~!?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING, PUTTING YOUR BLOOD ON THAT SWORD.

YOU CRYSTAL-LIZING THE MAGNETIC POWDER ON THE BLADE, DROPPING IT OFF!!

RIGHT, YOU REALIZED THAT WITH THE COAGULATION EFFECT POS-SESSED AS A CRITICAL PART IN BLOOD,

DO YOU THINK YOU CAN ATTACK ME WITH WIPING OFF THE MAGNETIC POWDER ONLY THAT MUCH?

BUT THAT IS USE-LESS AT THIS POINT.

TSURUGI! I WILL TEACH YOU: THE WEIGHT OF BEING THE HEAD OF OTO-KOJUKU SECOND-YEARS.....!!

DON'T FORGET; WHAT OCCURS FROM HERE .....!!

HUH!?

AKASHI-SENPAI ----!!

N...NO, STOP ----!!

IT... CAN'T BE!!

THE...WEIGHT OF BEING THE HEAD OF OTOKO JUKU'S SECOND-YEARS .....!?

WH...WHAT ARE WITH THOSE WORDS NOW ...!?

DIE!!

ICHIMONJI-
RYUU: ZAN-
GANKEN!!

NUR YAA!!

HUH!?

UP

OOOH !!

WH... WHAT ----!!

GUWA
!!

GYA
GAA!!

I...I LEAVE THE REST TO YOU, TSURUGI MOMOTAROU .....!!

THIS IS THE WEIGHT AS THE HEAD OF OTOKO JUKU'S SECOND-YEARS..!!

THE.. MAGNETIC POWDER ATTACHED TO YOUR BLADE WAS WIPED OFF THE MOMENT IT WENT THROUGH YOUR BODY..!!

IM... IMPOSSIBLE...

LOO OOT

AKASHI-SENPAI ----!!

梁山泊首領登場!!の巻

AKASHI-
SENPAI
.....!!

梁山泊首領登場!!の巻

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AND THEN RELENTLESSLY TRAIN US WITH THAT HAZING OF HELL AGAIN ----!!

OPEN YOUR EYES, AKASHI-SENPAI---!!

WOO, HOW CAN THIS HAPPENING ----!!

AT LEAST, WE CAN DRAW OUT THE KATANA...

STOP THAT, TORA-MARU, TOGASHI .....!!

HOLD ON!!

UUH!!

HUH, JA... JAKI .....!?

!!

WHAT EXACTLY DO YOU MEAN .....!?

.....!!

YOU STILL DON'T UNDER-STAND: THE TRUE TERROR OF THE MAN AKASHI GOUJI!!

LET GO OF IT, TSURUGI .....!!

MOVE!!

EVEN IF IT'S A BIT, IT WILL BE THE END IF YOU MISS.....!!

HA!!

.....!?

GUKU
.....!!
WHAT!!
HE...REVIVED
AKASHI-
SENPAI!
HUH!!

HE PIERCED HIMSELF WITH HIS OWN SWORD WHILE AVOIDING ALL THE VITALS.

THIS IS ICHIMON-JI-RYUU OUGI: KESSEN-KAN!!

HE WASN'T REVIVED... HE HADN'T DIED.

DON'T YOU UNDER-STAND...!!

UUH!!

TN: "KESSENKAN" = "THROMBOSIS PIERCE" OR "BLOOD-PLUGGING PIERCE"

THAT IS AKASHI SOUJI, HEAD OF OTOKO JUKU'S SECOND-YEARS.....!!

HE HAD TO BET EVERY-THING ON A ONE-IN-TEN THOUSAND CHANCE TO WIN.

TO THIS MAN, HOWEVER POWERFUL ENEMY, A TIE IS A DEFEAT, NOT A VIC-TORY.

.....!!

A MAN LIKE YOU WOULD .....!!

AKASHI-SENPAI .....!!

WHAT'S WITH THAT FACE...!!

AMAZING, HE DIDN'T TIE WITH GENERAL SOUKOU, HE WON---!!

HE...HE DID IT--!! AKASHI, NO, AKASHI-SENPAI IS ALIVE---!

ANY FURTHER BLEEDING WILL TRULY COME TO BE FATAL!!

IT'S BEST THAT HE IS HURRIED TO SURGERY

TOUDOU HYOUE'S MANSION

THIS CAN'T BE: OTOKOJUKU, THIS NAMELESS NEWCOMER OF THE TENCHOU GORIN DAIBUKAI, HAVE WON THEIR WAY TO HERE .....!!

THIS IS COM-PLETELY WHAT IS CALLED A MAJOR UPSET.

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SO, YOU THINK THERE IS ONLY ONE LEADER!?

FUFU; LEADER OF RYOU ZANPAKU ……!!

IT SEEMS THE ONE THAT ADVANCING TO THE FINAL MATCH WILL BE OTOKO-JUKU.

EVEN GENERAL SOUKOU, THE VICE-HEAD OF THE RYO■ZAN-PAKU ARMY HAS BEEN DEFEATED AND ALL THAT RE-MAINS IS THE LEADER.

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WHAT ARE YOU SAYING ……!?

HUH ……!?

THREE LEADERS ……!!

THIS IS THEIR TRADI-TION!!

NO MATTER WHAT THE ERA, THE LEADERS OF RYOUZAN-PAKU IS ALWAYS THREE……!!

THAT'S WHY, THIS TIME, THE LEADERS NOT COMING YET, BECAUSE THEY THOUGHT THEY CAN GO TO THE FINAL EASLY. BUT THEY SHOULD HAVE REALIZED THIS DISASTER AND WILL BE THERE VERY SOON!!...!!

IN ANCIENT CHINA, RYOUZANPAKU WAS ORIGINALLY FOUNDED BY THREE GREAT MEN: RYOUKOU, SANCHIN AND HAKUMEI; THESE THREE NAMED THE ORGANIZATION BY THE FIRST CHARACTERS OF THEIR NAME. EVEN AFTER THIS, RYOUZANPAKU FROM THEIR ORIGIN ALWAYS HAD LEADERS OF THEIR THREE STRONGEST WARRIORS AND WHO ACTED BY CONSULTATION

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FUFU, OTOKO-JUKU.

YOU WILL COME TO KNOW THE TRUE TERROR OF RYOUZAN-PAKU.

YOUR CRITICAL MOMENT WILL BE FROM NOW ON!!

AND I'VE HEARD THAT THE THREE BOSSES OF THIS TOURNAMENT ARE ACTUAL BROTHERS...!!

THREE BROTHERS ------!?

NOW, WE'LL COURTE-OUSLY BURY HIM.

MY..MY MIS-CHIEF HAS MADE EVEN OUR GENERAL SOUKOU BE...BE IN THIS CONDI-TION.....!!

WH..WHAT CAN I SAY...

WHAT !!
OOH, IT...IT'S YOU---!!

AND SANEN-SAMA ---!!

IT'S RYOUKOU-SAMA, ONE OF THE THREE LEADERS OF RYOUZANPAKU!!

THERE IS NO NEED TO COURTE-OUSLY BURYING HIM.

THIS MAN GENERAL SOUKOU, VICE-HEAD OF RYOUZAN-PAKU, HAS EXPOSED SUCH EMBAR-RASSMENT ...!!

HI!!

HA HA --- !!

NO, HE... HE HASN'T ARRIVE YET...!!

HAKU HOU-SAMA .....!?

HE SHOULD HAVE DE-PARTED AHEAD OF US.

WHERE'S MY YOUNGEST BROTHER HAKUHOU!?

FUFU, HE'S ALWAYS DOING THAT.

THAT GUY .....!!

UH!!

WHAT'S WRONG, HEY, GET OUT HERE QUICKLY---!!

WITH THAT, THE REMAINING OF THOSE RYOUZAN-PAKU FORCE GUYS ARE THEIR GEN-ERAL---!!

UWAHHAHA: THIS MATCH IS ALREADY DECIDED---!!

I'VE GOT- LOST WITH THE ROADS LIKE A MAZE ON THIS ENTIRE ISLAND.

DO YOU KNOW!? DIRTY-FACED OLDIE WITH THE SMALL MUSTACHE?

WHERE IS THE BATTLE- GROUND FOR THE TENCHOU GORIN DAI- BUKAI SEMI- FINAL MATCH?

!!

CAN I ASK YOU SOME- THING?

AAH, IT'S THERE, IT'S THERE---!!

MY BIG BROS ARE OVER THERE!!

!?

HEY, YOU SUDDENLY APPEARED, WHO ARE YOU----!!

WHAT'S WITH TH... THIS BRAT ---!!

HUH!!

IT SEEMS ALL OF YOU ARE MY ENEMIES.

MY NAME IS HAKUHOU, ONE OF RYOUZAN PAKU'S THREE LEADERS!!

THIS BRAT, ARE YOU MESSING WITH US?!

THERE'S NO WAY A SHRIMP LIKE YOU IS A RYOUZANPAKU LEADER----!!

UH!!

JUST FOR YOU TO KNOW, I'M UNBELIEVABLY STRONG---!!

HE-Y, GET DOWN HERE QUICKLY--!! I'LL BE YOUR OPPONENT---!

WH...WHAT---!! HE'S ALREADY ON THE BATTLEFIELD BEFORE WE KNEW IT---!!

PEACE, PEACE

J !!

WELL, WILL YOU SOUND THE GONG!!

THAT BRAT ---!!

STOP, TOGASHI. HE'S NOT AN OPPONENT THAT YOU CAN USE YOUR PUNCH ON.

AAH —!?

OOH---!! COME DOWN HERE, YOU DAREDEVIL ----!

KAKKAKA, SAY YOUR FAREWELL TO YOUR ALLIES ----!!

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FU: BUT WE DO POSSESS A TERRIFYING LITTLE BROTHER.....THERE'S NO ONE WHO HAS FOUGHT HAKUHOU AND LIVED.

HE'S THE SAME AS EVER.

DON'T BE CONCERNED BY THAT, J!! BEAT UP THAT AUDACIOUS BRAT WITH YOUR MACH PUNCH----!

AND...MAKING MATTERS WORST, HE'S SITTING ON THE BATTLEGROUND AND EATING BENTOU----!!

WHAT'S WITH THAT BRAT, COMING OUT FOOLISHLY!!

THAT SMALL HAKUHOU... I FEEL SOMETHING EERIE THAT'S COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FROM OUR ENEMIES UNTIL NOW...!

...NO, I DON'T THINK SO.

HUH!?

WAHAHAHA: HE'S SO MISCAST!!

BUT, IT'S TRULY FUNNY THAT THIS SHRIMP IS ONE OF THE THREE HEADS OF RYOUZAN-PAKU----!!

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AH-BOY, AM I STUFFED.

WELL-THEN, SHALL WE DO SOME LIGHT DIGESTING EXERCISES AFTER THIS MEAL?

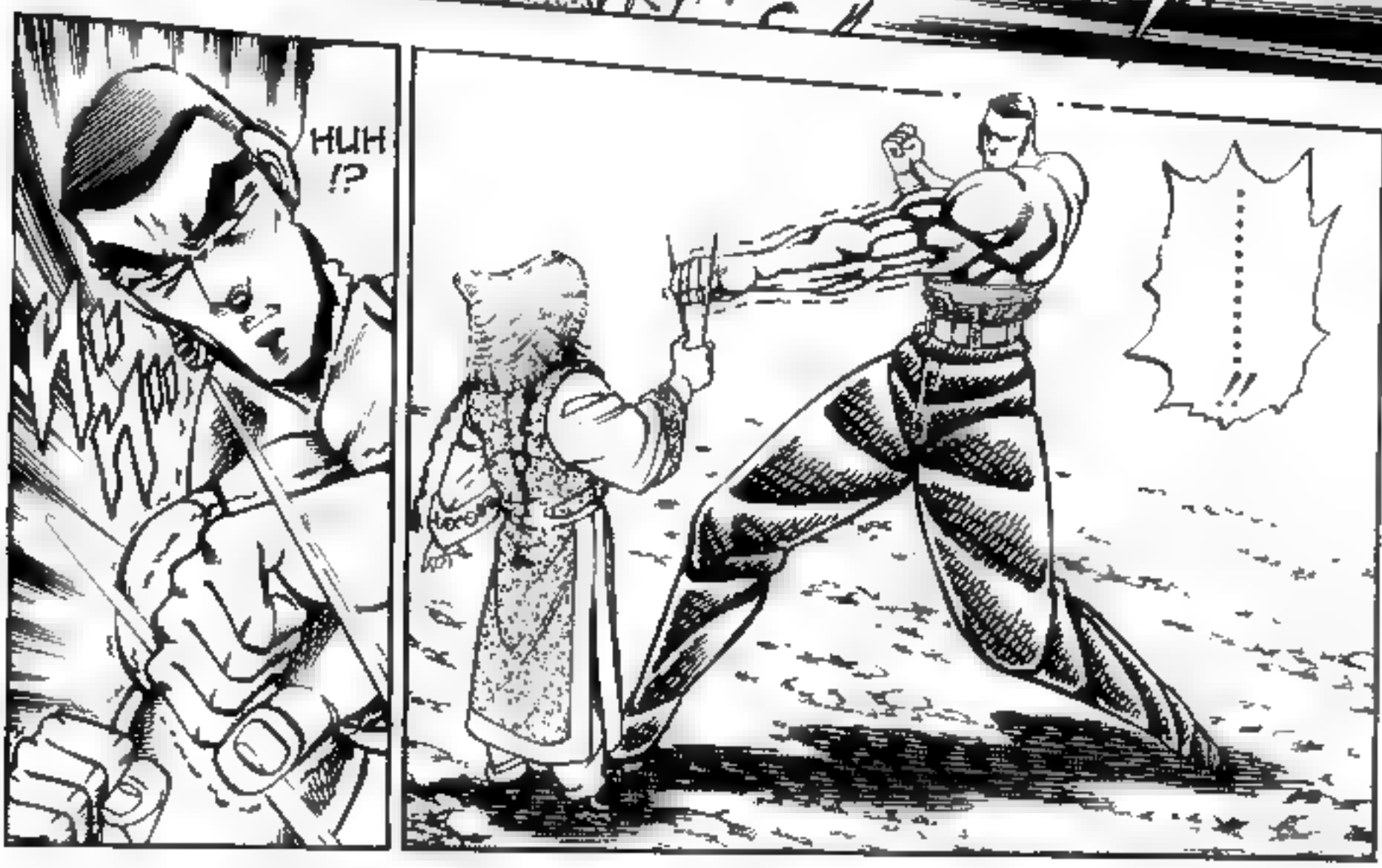
WELL, COME AT ME FROM WHEREVER YOU WANT.

I CAN SEE THAT.

OOH~~~!? THAT STANCE IS FOR A GUY WHO'S INTO "BOXONG" AS IT'S CALLED IN THE WEST.

I'M NOT GOING EASY BECAUSE MY OPPONENT'S A BRAT.

IT'S FOR YOUR OWN GOOD TO NOT MOCK ME.


HUH !?
!!

THAT BRAT CAUGHT J'S PUNCH WITH A SPEED THAT CAN'T BE SEEN BY THE EYE WITH THE CHOPSTICKS HE ATE HIS BENTON WITH----!!
WHAT ----!!

GOOD, GOOD.
KAKKAKAK, THAT'S QUITE A TERRIFYING PUNCH.

KU!!

OTTO

HE-Y, WHERE ARE YOU LOOKING---!!

I'M RIGHT HERE---!!

NU!?

.....

RIGHT, I'VE THOUGHT OF A GOOD IDEA.

N-REALLY, THAT WASN'T INTERSTING, BIG BROTHER.

I CAN'T HAVE A GOOD MATCH BECAUSE OF MY NIMBLE MOVEMENTS WITH A WIDE BATTLEFIELD LIKE THIS.

HOW'S THIS?

HE'S SUDDENLY DRAWING A LINE ON THE BATTLE-GROUND.

WHAT'S WITH THAT BRAT!?

A BOXONG RING IS ABOUT THIS WIDE.

I'LL ACKNOWL-EDGE DEFEAT AND TAKE OUT MY STOMACH THE MOMENT TAKE EVEN A STEP OUT.

I WON'T BE LEAVING OUTSIDE EVEN A STEP FROM IN HERE!!

GO AT HIM, J!! KILL THAT CONCEITED BRAT----!

THAT GUY, HOW FAR DID HE WANT TO MOCK ----!!

FUFFUFFU: REALLY .....!?

HAVE YOU WRING YOUR OWN NECK AND MAKE YOU REPENT IN HELL.

FINE: I'LL STRIKE THAT BIG MOUTH,

!?

NO MATTER WHERE I RUN, YOU'LL SLOWLY AP-PROACH AND CORNER ME.

THAT'S GREAT FOOT JUDGE-MENT.

HAHA- THAT'S WHAT'S CALLED FOOTWORK IN THAT BOXONG

HOU, NOW YOU'RE STARTING TO USE YOUR LEGS?

AUH, NO, I CAN'T MOVE BACK ANY-MORE---!!

JUST KIDDING!

!!

I WASN'T IN A PINCH AT ALL.

NUH!!

HOI!!

HE WASN'T GRAZED AT ALL BY J'S PUNCH----!!

HOO---!! WHAT'S WITH THAT BRAT'S LIGHT BODY---!

KAKKAKA: NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES WE DO IT, IT'S FUTILE---!! I CAN'T BE DEFEATED WITH THAT LEVEL----!

HE ISN'T JUST MERELY NIMBLE, IT'S AS IF HE SEEMS LIKE HE'S KNOW BE-FOREHAND THE PUNCH I SEND OUT.

IMPOSSIBLE, EVEN WITH MY FOOTWORK, HE STILL CAN AVOID MY FIST EASILY.....!!

CTN: "LAW OF TAIDOUSATSU" OR "TAIDOUSATSU NO HOU"
"LAW OF BODY-MOVEMENT JUDGMENT"

LAW OF TAI DOU-SATSU .....!?

INDEED, I UNDER-STAND THE LAW OF TAIDOU-SATSU!!

FUFFUFFU: IT SEEMS YOU'VE FI-NALLY RE-ALIZED IT.

HOWEVER YOU TRY TO AVOID INFERRING IT, THESE CHANGES EMERGE WITHOUT CONNECTION TO YOUR OWN WILL.

I CAN BE REASONED IN HAVING PERFECT FORESIGHT IN YOUR MOVEMENT FROM THIS.

WHAT'S CALLED THE HUMAN BODY CERTAINLY APPEARS TO HAVE SUBTLE CHANGES IN MUSCLES, FACIAL EXPRESSION AND BREATHING AT THE VERGE THE BODY IS GIVEN ORDERS.

IF YOU DON'T KNOW, I'LL TELL YOU.

A YOUNG PERSON LIKE HIM HAS MASTERED THE LAW OF TAIDOU-SATSU.....!!

NUU, HE'S A DREADFUL MAN .....!!

.....!!

INCIDENTALLY, CIRCLES AROUND THE EYES ARE PARTICULARLY THE CONCENTRATION OF TAIDOU POINTS AND IS WHAT EXPLAINS "THE EYES HAVE ONE LANGUAGE EVERYWHERE", A PROVERB FROM ANCIENT TIMES. FROM "CHINESE KENPOU THAT INQUIRES FROM MEDICAL PERSPECTIVES", MINMEI PUBLISHING

TAIDOUSATSU...IN THE BODY ARE TAIDOU POINTS WHICH POSSESS THE RELAY FUNCTION OF MOTION NERVES THAT COMMUNICATE THE WILL FROM THE BRAIN WHENEVER MOTION OCCURS. THE APPLICATION AND PERFECTION IN KENPOU OF SEEING THROUGH THE CHANGES IN TAIDOU POINTS IS TAIDOUSATSU.

BIG BROTHER'S PUNCH HAS AMAZING POWER, BUT I CAN'T LOSE TO THAT.

ALLEY-OOP.

NOW I'LL ATTACK.

KAKKAKA, DO YOU UNDER-STAND, IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR YOU TO WIN AGAINST ME.

RYOUZAN-PAKU OUGI: SHOUTEIHA!!

THERE WE GO!!

TN: "SHOUTEIHA" = "BREAKING RAM-PALM"

IT'S ROUGH-LY LIKE THAT.

LET'S GO ---!!

F''''

WHAT---!! THAT BRAT BROKE A ROCK INTO SMALL PIECES WITH THE PALM OF HIS HAND----!

*SEE TNOTES

IS HE A MASTER OF THE QIGONG METHOD AS WELL...!!*

THIS ISN'T A MERE PALM THRUST .....!!

FUFFUFFU: YOU PRE-TENDED TO AVOID ME TO THE SIDE AND ACTUALLY TURNED TO MY REAR.

!!

AND THEN FEINT WITH THE RIGHT PUNCH, ACTUALLY IN-TENDING TO AIM FOR MY FACE WITH THE LEFT PUNCH.

I ALREADY SAID THAT I UNDER-STAND ALL OF YOUR MOVE-MENTS----!!

GAHA!!

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!!

GUKU!!

KNOCK-DOWN ----!!

ONE

TWO

THREE

START THE COUNT ---!!

YOU'RE THE FIRST ONE WHO TOOK MY SHOUTEIHA AND GOTTEN UP...!!

FUFFUFU, WELL, THAT'S FINE.

YOU'RE THE FIRST TO HAVE SUNK ME TO THE MAT...!!

IT SEEMS YOUR BIG MOUTH WASN'T JUST CONCEITED.....!!

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